

By Mr. STIVERS (for himself, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, and Mrs. BEATTY):

H.R. 1862. A bill to amend the Federal Home Loan Bank Act to allow non-Federally insured credit unions to become members of a Federal Home Loan Bank; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. VELA (for himself and Mr. O'ROURKE):

H.R. 1863. A bill to require the Secretary of State to submit a report on water sharing with Mexico; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mrs. WALORSKI (for herself and Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California):

H.R. 1864. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to require an Inspector General investigation of allegations of retaliatory personnel actions taken in response to making protected communications regarding sexual assault; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. WELCH:

H.R. 1865. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 35 Park Street in Danville, Vermont, as the "Thaddeus Stevens Post Office"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 1866. A bill to amend the Endangered Species Act of 1973 to promote sustainable-use conservation, to harmonize that Act with the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Ms. BASS (for herself, Mr. MARINO, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mrs. BACHMANN, Mr. LANGEVIN, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. SCHIFF, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. CICILLINE, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. CONYERS, and Ms. TITUS):

H. Res. 203. A resolution recognizing National Foster Care Month as an opportunity to raise awareness about the challenges of children in the foster-care system, and encouraging Congress to implement policy to improve the lives of children in the foster-care system; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania:

H. Res. 204. A resolution commending Korean American veterans of the Vietnam War for their service to the United States; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. HORSFORD (for himself, Ms. TITUS, and Ms. NORTON):

H. Res. 205. A resolution recognizing the goals of National Travel and Tourism Week and honoring the valuable contributions of travel and tourism to the United States; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. CUMMINGS:

H.R. 1842.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, section 8, Clause 1 of the United States Constitution, the reported bill is authorized by Congress' power "To provide for the common Defense and general Welfare of the United States."

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the United States Constitution, the reported bill is au-

thorized by Congress' power "To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof."

Article I, Section 8, Clause 12 of the United States Constitution, the reported bill is authorized by Congress' power "To raise and support Armies, but no Appropriation of Money to that Use shall be for a longer Term than two Years."

By Ms. LEE of California:

H.R. 1843.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I of the United States Constitution and its subsequent amendments, and further clarified and interpreted by the Supreme Court of the United States.

By Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia:

H.R. 1844.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Sec. 8, Cl. 3

By Mr. POLIS:

H.R. 1845.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 1. All legislative Powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress of the United States, which shall consist of a Senate and House of Representatives.

By Ms. VELÁZQUEZ:

H.R. 1846.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

"Article IV, section 3 of the Constitution of the United States grant Congress the authority to make all needful Rules and Regulations respecting the Territory or other Property belonging to the United States."

By Mr. SALMON:

H.R. 1847.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Amendment IV

The right of the people to be secure in their persons, houses, papers, and effects, against unreasonable searches and seizures, shall not be violated, and no Warrants shall issue, but upon probable cause, supported by Oath or affirmation, and particularly describing the place to be searched, and the persons or things to be seized.

By Mr. POMPEO:

H.R. 1848.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

By Mr. SMITH of Texas:

H.R. 1849.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The authority to enact this bill is derived from, but may not be limited to, Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. COLE:

H.R. 1850.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

The Congress shall have the Power to lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defense and general Welfare of the United States; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.

By Mr. LEWIS:

H.R. 1851.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I of the

United States Constitution and its subsequent amendments, and further clarified and interpreted by the Supreme Court of the United States.

By Mr. YODER:

H.R. 1852.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Amendment IV

The right of the people to be secure in their persons, houses, papers, and effects, against unreasonable searches and seizures, shall not be violated, and no Warrants shall issue, but upon probable cause, supported by Oath or affirmation, and particularly describing the place to be searched, and the persons or things to be seized.

By Mr. CASSIDY:

H.R. 1853.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 [the Spending Clause] of the United States Constitution states that "The Congress shall have Power To lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay for Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States."

By Ms. CHU:

H.R. 1854.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the United States Constitution, known as the "General Welfare Clause." This provision grants Congress the broad power "to pay the Debts and provide for the common defense and general welfare of the United States."

Please note, pursuant to Article I, Section 8, Congress has the power "to make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof."

By Ms. HANABUSA:

H.R. 1855.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The power granted to Congress under Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the United States Constitution, to make all laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into execution the foregoing Powers, and all other powers vested by the Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or officer thereof.

By Ms. KUSTER:

H.R. 1856.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 18 (relating to the power to make all laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into execution the foregoing powers, and all other powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any department or officer thereof) of the United States Constitution.

By Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York:

H.R. 1857.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the powers granted to the Congress by Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. NORTON:

H.R. 1858.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

clause 18 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution.

By Mr. SCHIFF:

H.R. 1859.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The Disaster Declaration Improvement Act is constitutional under Article I, Section 8,